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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for National Foreign Assessment
FROM: Director of Central Intelligence
SUBJECT: Societal Change Studies

25X1 1. My good friend [] mentioned to me on 11 June that
25X1 a very capable professor named [] happens to be available
for about a three-month period. [] knows that we are working to
define ways to study societal change. He has talked with a number
of your people and has given them suggestions on this. I have such
25X1 a high regard for [] advice in these matters that when he says
25X1 [] is a very capable man in the LDC area (he was born and raised
25X1 []), I put a lot of faith in it. Because the subject of
societal change is so critical to us, I wonder if we could afford to
25X1 put [] on contract for about three months to do a separate look at
how we should be going about our studies in this area. []

25X1 2. [] mentioned that [] has had a clearance with us for
some possible work with what sounds like the Nuclear Intelligence
25X1 Panel. []

25X1 3. I would appreciate your giving it some thought. [] can
be contacted through [] if you think there
25X1 is anything that can be done.

for STANSFIELD TURNER

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